macroblock.

16 (Twice Amended). A method of performing video image decoding comprising: inverse transforming a compressed video image;

downsampling the inverse transformed image in the spatial domain; and

performing motion compensation for the downsampled image in the spatial domain, the performing of the motion compensation comprising scaling a motion vector in accordance with a downsampling ratio, the motion vector specifying relative distance of reference data from a macroblock.

28 (Twice Amended). An article comprising: a storage medium, having stored thereon instructions, that when executed by a platform, result in the following:

downsampling a compressed video image in the frequency domain;

inverse transforming the downsampled video image; and

performing motion compensation for the downsampled image in the spatial domain, the performing of the motion compensation comprising scaling a motion vector in accordance with a downsampling ratio, the motion vector specifying relative distance of reference data from a macroblock.

32 (Twice Amended). An article comprising: a storage medium, having stored thereon instructions, that when executed by a platform, result in the following:

inverse transforming a compressed video image;

downsampling the inverse transformed image in the spatial domain; and

performing motion compensation for the downsampled image in the spatial domain, the performing of the motion compensation comprising scaling a motion vector in accordance with a downsampling ratio, the motion vector specifying relative distance of reference data from a macroblock.